

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company – Annual Request
for Revised Rates

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COVER SHEET

DOCKET

NUMBER: 2009 - 211 - E

(Please type or print)

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August 28, 2009

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Charles Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
100 Executive Center, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
Annual Request for Revised Rates
Docket No. 2009-211-E

Dear Mr. Terreni:

On July 30, 2009, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") a report ("ORS Report") resulting from its review and audit of the Annual Request for Revised Rates filed by South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") in the above-referenced docket. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-280 (Supp. 2008), SCE&G hereby submits for filing the following written comments to the ORS Report.

The Company has carefully reviewed the ORS Report, including the attachments. The Company agrees with ORS's findings "that the project is being constructed in accordance with the construction schedules and cumulative cost forecasts approved in Commission Order No. 2009-104(A) and that the revised rates requested by SCE&G are appropriate as filed." *See* ORS Report p.10. More specifically, SCE&G agrees with the information contained within ORS Attachment 1 affirming the revenue requirement set forth in Exhibit D of SCE&G's Annual Request for Revised Rates. The Company also agrees with the updated information concerning its capital structure as provided in ORS Attachment 2.

If the Commission approves SCE&G's Annual Request for Revised Rates, then the Company will implement the rates reflected in Exhibit F of its annual request for bills rendered on and after October 30, 2009, in accordance with S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-280(H) (Supp. 2008).

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The Honorable Charles Terreni

August 28, 2009

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If you have any questions, please advise.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Chad Burgess", with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

K. Chad Burgess

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IN RE:

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company -)	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Annual Request for Revised Rates)	
_____)	

This is to certify that I have caused to be served this day one (1) copy of the **Letter of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company dated August 28, 2009**, to the persons named below via First Class U.S. Mail and electronic mail:

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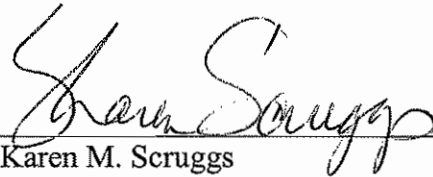
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This 28th day of August 2009